

Program Affected: Summer Food Service Program

Title of Rule: Simplified Cost Accounting and Other Actions to Reduce Paperwork in the Summer Food Service Program

Stage of Rulemaking: Proposed rule is currently being drafted.

Is the Rule Currently Open for Public Comment? There will be a 60 day comment period once the rule is published.

Rule Summary: This rule would propose changes to the Summer Food Service Program regulations to incorporate changes mandated by Section 738 of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2008, which extends simplified cost accounting and reporting procedures to sponsors in all States. It would propose to eliminate the cost comparison requirements for determining payments to Program sponsors and a number of additional simplifications to improve administrative efficiency and reduce paperwork in the management of the Program.